

PROPOSALS

For Printing a

Compleat Anatomy

OF AN

HORSE.

THIS Treatise, written by *Andrew Snape*, Junior, one of His MAJESTY'S Farriers, is intended to be Printed *in folio* in the same letter with these Proposals: and will contain a full and perfect description of all the Muscles, Tendons, Ligaments, Cartilages, Bones, Veins, Arteries and Nerves of this serviceable and Generous Creature; as also of his three Ventrers, *viz.* the *Belly* (properly so called) the *Breast* and *Head*, with all the parts contained in them, namely in the *first*, the Caul, Stomach and Guts, the Mesentery, Liver, Spleen, Sweet-bread, Kidneys and Bladder, with the parts serving for Generation in both Sexes; in the *second*, the Heart and Lungs; and in the *third*, the Brain. All which Parts shall not only be fully described, but every one exhibited to the Eye in their proper figures (as well *in situ*, as separate) in about fifty Copper-plates, so exactly, that by the help thereof, and the assistance of their explanations, any Reader of ordinary capacity may attain unto the full knowledge of their shape, situation and connexion, as also of their Actions and Uses. Whereto shall be annexed a brief discourse of the Generation of Animals; and another of the various Liquors or Juices contained in the Vessels, especially of the Chyle, and of the Blood and its Circulation.

A Work that will invite and delight the Curiosity of every ingenious Gentleman, that has a due esteem of this Noble Animal that yields him so much service and pleasure; and is both useful and necessary for every Farrier that would practise his Art with Success or Commendation.

But the Undertaking being great, and the Author having already expended much money in the designing and engraving the Copper-plates, (most of which are taken from the life) and the greater charge of Printing remaining behind, (believing that the whole Volume will amount to above an Hundred sheets *in folio*) he hath communicated his design to several persons of Quality and worthy Gentlemen, and to some of the most eminent of his Profession, who very well approving thereof have already subscribed towards the carrying it on, whereby he has taken encouragement to publish the Proposals following, that by understanding to how many it may be acceptable, he may Print a proportionable number, that none may be unfurnisht.

Such therefore as shall please to pay to the Author, or to any other person appointed by him, the summe of twenty shillings, to wit, ten in hand, and ten more when the Book is delivered, shall have one Book well bound and gilt on the back: which, except to the Subscribers, will not be sold under twenty shillings in sheets. And it is intended to be published in *Michaelmas* Term next.